News Release

OFFICE OF INSURANCE OFFERS FREE INSURANCE SEMINARS

Five Insurance 101 classes scheduled for Lexington library branches

FRANKFORT, Ky. (Aug. 21, 2007) – Lexington area consumers will have an opportunity to learn more about insurance, pick up helpful materials, file a complaint or ask a question as part of free "Insurance 101" seminars being offered by the Kentucky Office of Insurance (KOI) at five Lexington public library branches in August and September.

The program will last about an hour and will cover basic information and tips related to automobile, homeowners/renters, life and health insurance. Debbie Stamper, the office ombudsman and a branch manager in the Consumer Protection and Education division, will conduct the sessions. Consumers will have an opportunity to ask questions and may file a complaint on site. Participants will receive a packet of free insurance-related material.

All sessions begin at 7 p.m. The dates and locations are:

Aug. 27 - Beaumont branch, 3080 Fieldstone Way

Aug. 28 - Eagle Creek branch, 101 N. Eagle Creek Dr.

Aug. 29 - Tates Creek branch, 3628 Walden Dr.

Aug. 30 - Central branch, 140 E. Main St.

Sept. 4 - Northside branch, 1737 Russell Cave Rd.

Registration is not required. For more information, contact the KOI Consumer Education branch at 800-595-6053, ext. 4308 or 4226.

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